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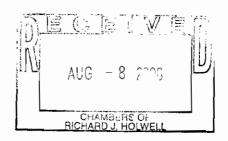
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Hon, Richard J. Holwell United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

Re: Lin v. Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. (07-CV-3218)



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Dear Judge Holwell:

I represent the Defendant, Metropolitan Life Insurance Company ("MetLife") in the above referenced action and am writing to respectfully request ten (10) additional pages with which to reply and respond to Plaintiff's response in opposition to MetLife's summary judgment motion and cross motion in limine.

As this Court indicated in document 29 filed on ECF (which granted Plaintiff's application to exceed Your Honor's 25 page limitation1), MetLife may apply for leave to file a longer reply. MetLife would like to do so at this time to ensure that it can adequately address all of Plaintiff's multiple, alternative arguments.

MetLife's reply is due to be filed on Monday, August 18, 2008. While MetLife would have ordinarily been able to reply within the ten (10) page limitation for replies set out in Your Honor's "Individual Practices," MetLife will now require more pages given the additional twelve (12) pages of arguments put forward by Plaintiff, including misplaced and untimely arguments to exclude MetLife's expert testimony.

MetLife thus respectfully requests that its request for ten (10) additional pages with which to reply and respond to Plaintiff's response in opposition to MetLife's summary judgment motion and cross motion in limine be granted.

Plaintiff's memorandum of law was in fact filed with 37 pages.

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Respectfully submitted,

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